## WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

## WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORDER NO. 1851

IN THE MATTER OF:		Served May 23, 1978
Application of SUBURBAN TRANSIT	)	Case No. AP-78-12
COMPANY for Temporary Authority	)	
to Perform Regular-Route	)	
Operations-Capital Centre	)	
	)	
Application of SUBURBAN TRANSIT	)	Case No. AP-78-13
COMPANY for Certificate of	)	
Public Convenience and Necessity	)	
to Perform Regular-Route	)	
Operations-Capital Centre	)	

By Order No. 1828, served March 31, 1978, Suburban Transit Company (Suburban) was granted certain temporary authority, conditioned upon the filing of certain documents and inspection of the vehicles to be used in the proposed service, within 10 days from said date of service. Suburban neither presented its vehicles for inspection nor filed a notarized statement of compliance with the vehicle identification requirements of Commission Regulation No. 68. Said Order No. 1828 also provides that, unless full compliance is made by Suburban, the grant of temporary authority shall be null and void and its application shall stand denied in its entirety effective upon the expiration of the said compliance time.

By Order No. 1833, served April 14, 1978, a public hearing was scheduled on Suburban's application in Case No. AP-78-13. Said order directed Suburban to publish notice of said application and hearing and to make its vehicles available for inspection on April 25, 1978, at a designated time and place. No notice was published and Suburban failed to present its vehicles as required. Order No. 1833 also provides that failure to comply with the terms thereof shall result in Case No. AP-78-13 standing denied for want of proper prosecution effective upon expiration of the said compliance time.

<sup>\*/</sup> An affidavit was filed indicating compliance with the insurance requirements of Commission Regulation No. 62 on April 24, 1978.

By letter dated May 12, 1978, Suburban requests that a new hearing date be scheduled because, due to illness of its President, notice of the June 6, 1978 hearing was not published. Suburban offered no explanation of its failure to meet the other requirements under Order Nos. 1828 and 1833 over an extended period of time.

## THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That Case Nos. AP-78-12 and AP-78-13 stand denied in their entirety, effective April 10, 1978, and April 25, 1978, respectively.
- 2. That the public hearing in Case Nos. AP-78-13 scheduled for June 6, 1978, is hereby cancelled.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

WILLIAM H. McGILVERY

Executive Director